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SUBJECT: LEBANESE REQUEST FOR SECURITY COUNCIL MEETING

1. FOLLOWING IS TEXT OF REQUEST FROM PERMANENT MISSION
OF LEBANON FOR URGENT MEETING OF SECURITY COUNCIL.

REQUEST RECEIVED AT USUN AT 2115 HOURS (EST).:

QUOTE: ON INSTRUCTIONS FROM MY GOVERNMENT, I HAVE THE
HONOUR TO BRING TO YOUR ATTENTION THE FOLLOWING:

ON THE NIGHT OF AUGUST 10, 1973, THE ISRAELI AIRFORCE
HAS INVADDED THE AIRSPACE OF LEBANON AND FORCED A CIVILIAN
PLANE TO FLY INTO ISRAEL WHERE IT LANDED AT AN ISRAELI
MILITARY BASE.

THIS ACT CONSTITUTES A GRAVE ACT AGAINST LEBANON'S
SOVEREIGNTY AND INTERNATIONAL CIVIL AVIATION. THE LEBANESE
GOVERNMENT VIEWS THIS MATTER WITH THE GREATEST GRAVITY.

UPON INSTRUCTIONS FROM MY GOVERNMENT, I REQUEST AN
URGENT MEETING OF THE SECURITY COUNCIL TO DEAL WITH THIS MOST
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SERIOUS ACT OF ISRAELI AGGRESSION.

PLEASE ACCEPT, EXCELLENCY, THE ASSURANCES OF MY
HIGHEST CONSIDERATION.

SIGNED: AMB. GHORRA UNQUOTE

2. AMB. GHORRA IN CONVERSATION WITH AMB BENNETT SAID
HE HAD NO INSTRUCTIONS ON HOW TO HANDLE MEETING NOR LANGUAGE
FOR A RESOLUTION BUT EXPECTED RECEIVE SAME 12 AUGUST. GHORRA
WAS AGREEABLE TO MEETING EITHER MORNING OR AFTERNOON 13 AUGUST.
IN VIEW OF WEEKEND AND ACCORDING POPPER/BENNETT TELCON USUN
POINTING TOWARDS AFTERNOON MEETING TO ALLOW DELEGATIONS TIME
TO RECEIVE INSTRUCTIONS.
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